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INTERFACE

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**AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION OF  
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This reply is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed on October 28, 2008 in the above-referenced matter. Reconsideration and allowance of the application is requested in view of the amendments and remarks contained in the following pages:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.

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